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Title: INK-JET PRINTING RECEIVING SHEET COMPRISING GELATIN AND A METAL SALT

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described herein, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on May 26, 2004.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This is a request under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action dated Feb. 24, 2004. This is a request for a 1-month extension of time from May 24 to June 24, 2004. The required fee for this extension of time, the amount of \$110.00, is hereby authorized to be withdrawn from Deposit Account Number 50-1391.

Please consider this a petition to extend the time to respond if an additional extension of time is deemed necessary by the Office. Authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account Number 50-1391 if such additional extension is necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

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